

**PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Akira TOMITA

Appln. No.: 10/583,078

Confirmation No.: 9174

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For: PNEUMATIC TIRE FOR HEAVY LOAD

Group Art Unit: TBA

Examiner: TBA

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN
THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)" dated March 13, 2007 (copy enclosed), Applicant submits herewith a copy of a duly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, accompanied by an Assignment, a verified English language translation of the application as originally filed and a Preliminary Amendment.

A check for the statutory fees in the amount of \$260.00 for the Late Declaration Surcharge and Non-English Specification Fee is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all additional required fees (with the exception of the Issue/Publication Fees) to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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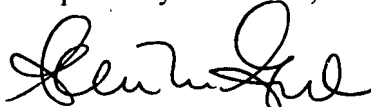
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Respectfully submitted,



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